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N. IRELAND TO I. REPUBLIC

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BEGIN SUMMARY: HMG REFUSAL TODEVALUE GREEN POUND AND IRISH 7.5 PERCENT DEVALUATION HAS LED TO SMUGGLING ACROSS BORDER OF N. IRISH LIVESTOCK. HMG ON OCTOBER 20 ANNOUNCED PAYMENTS FOR N. IRELAND LIVESTOCK PRODUCERS AIMED AT STOPPING ILLICIT TRAFFIC. END SUMMARY.

1. ON OCTOBER 20, 1976, N. IRELAND SECRETARY IN HMG ANNOUNCED ONE MILLION POUND SCHEME TO PREVENT SMUGGLING
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OF CATTLE AND PIGS ACROSS BORDER INTO IRISH REPUBLIC.

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2. SINCE IRISH GREEN POUND WAS DEVALUED FOLLOWING EC AGRICULTURAL MINISTERS' MEETING OCTOBER 5, SMUGGLING HAS INCREASED SHARPLY TO GAIN HIGHER PRICES ININIRISH REPUBLIC PLACING IN JEOPARDY IMPORTANT N. IRISH MEAT AND LIVE-STOCK PROCESSING INDUSTRY.

3. HMG WILL PAY FARMERS A 5 PENCE PER LB DRESSED CARCASE WEIGHT PREMIUM ON CATTLE MARKETED FOR PROCESSING IN N. IRELAND AND 31 PENCE PER SCORE (20 LB.) DEADWEIGHT ON PIGS, INITIALLY FOR A FOUR WEEK PERIOD.
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